



RAVENNA MOOSE LODGE #1234  
RAVENNA CHAPTER #540.

# MOOSE TRACKS

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Our address is

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Hours of Operation

Monday-Friday

1:00 PM-????

Saturday & Sunday

1:00 PM-??? PM



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the friendliest  
place in town.



## HAPPY NEW YEAR

We hope you have a very prosperous and Happy New Year.

Please read all the new things we will have available for you in the coming year. We have a lot of opportunity at our new property and we hope you will enjoy it as well.

### TACO MARGARITA NIGHT

*Let's run for the boarder and pretend it's warm. We will have Taco's and Margaritas on January 13th.*

*Tacos will be \$1.50 each and Margaritas \$2.00.*

*Taco's will be served from 5:00 PM to 7:00 PM and Margarita's as long as they last.*

*Karaoke with Mark Horner will be that evening also. Come out and enjoy the evening at your Lodge with friends.*

### POKER ON SUNDAYS

There will be poker every Sunday from 1 PM to 4 PM, except for the Sunday of the regular Poker Tournament.



Cost is \$10.00 and pay outs will

go to the winner of each table.

The regular poker tournament will still take place once a month on January 29th and February 12th and the rules will be the same.

*Note new starting time will be 1:00 PM for tournaments.*

### ADMINISTRATOR APPLICATIONS

The deadline for submitting your application for administrator will be December 31st.

The officers will choose an administrator on January 9th at their meeting and the members will vote on January 23rd at the Lodge meeting.



Donate your aluminum cans to the Moose.

We will recycle and use the money to help our Lodge. You can put the cans in the trailer behind the bath house

## LODGE OFFICERS

### JR. PAST GOVERNOR

MIKE HORNER

### GOVERNOR:

DAVE CAMPO

### PRELATE:

MIKE TASSONE

### TREASURER:

DEIAN LONGGOOD

### ACTING ADMINISTRATOR:

GARY REEDY

### 3 YR TRUSTEE

KENNY ROOSA

### 2 YR TRUSTEE

ANDY ZELLE FROW

### 1 YR TRUSTEE

LEROY SMITH

### SERGEANT AT ARMS:

ROY GRAY

### INNER GUARD

RON KNAPP

### OUTER GUARD

ROBERT WHEATLEY

## MEMBERSHIP

NEW MEMBERS JOINING SINCE SEPTEMBER ARE AS FOLLOWS:

Robert Thompson sponsored by Robert Mues, Larry Henderham sponsored by Robert Mills; Jerry Losh, reenrolled, Roy Fronck, Ronald Bertino, Gary Reedy, Danny Mounts, Brett Magley all sponsored by Gary Reedy; Mike Hurd sponsored by Steve Smith; James Hoffman transferred in; Glenn Strouse sponsored by Dave Stankovich; Pete Funk and James Wager sponsored by Jon Davis; Don Coia sponsored by Harold Oostdyk.

Thanks for joining and we hope you enjoy your membership and the many activities available for you and your family.

### NEW MEMBER CAMPAIGN

Starting January 1, 2012 until April 30, 2012, Moose International has **WAIVED** the enrollment fee for new or reenrolled members.

So if you sponsor a member during this time he will only have to pay dues of \$45.00 for a saving of \$20.00.

If you sign two new or former members, you will receive a free year's dues.



*Our Circle has been broken and we are sad to report that the following members have passed from this life:*

*Joan Barber*

*John Damicone*

*Robert "Red" Stacel*

*Our thoughts and prayers go out to their families and friends.*



### WOTM OFFICERS

#### SENIOR REGENT

PAT ROSE

#### JR. GRADUATE REGENT

SUZANNE BYAM

#### JR. REGENT

NADINE PATTERSON

#### CHAPLAIN

MARLENE COWLING

#### SEC/TREAS.

MARILYN CHRISTY

#### RECORDER

MARY TASSONE

#### GUIDE

ROSEMARY WETSHTAIN

#### ASST. GUIDE

DOROTHY HUFF

### FROM THE OFFICE OF THE ACTING ADMINISTRATOR

I would like to **PERSONALLY** welcome each member to your **NEW** social quarters.

To begin, I would personally like to **THANK** each and **EVERY** member for all the **TIMELESS HOURS** and **MONIES DONATED** to get us to this point. I can assure you, it has been appreciated. Without each and every one of you, we would not be here.

**PLEASE** remember, we must continue to move forward to accomplish our goals of this beautiful lodge—the possibilities are endless.

**IF WE WANT IT BAD ENOUGH AND WE ARE DETERMINED, ANYTHING IS POSSIBLE.**

We are anxious to begin new projects and are seeking all members to contact me to start these new adventures together.

Along with the daily events listed in your calendar, we will be having various children's events, reverse raffles, bonanza, poker tournaments, special events, bands, dj's, camping, bocce, fishing, and, of course, karaoke this coming year.

If you have any concerns, comments, ideas or just feel like venting, my door is open. If I am not available, you can call me at 330 805 1557 and I will respond or please mail to Loyal Order of Moose, PO Box 567, Ravenna, Ohio 44266 marked to the **attention** of the Acting Administrator.

I would personally like to thank Ed Hanna for all the help he has given me in the office. Ed is a great friend and true Brother.

Gary Reedy, Acting Administrator

**DEIAN'S DEEP  
FRIED FRIDAY**

*Deian has committed to cooking on Friday's when nothing else is happening. He will be cooking the following:*

*Fish Sandwich, Cheese Sticks, Wings, Meatballs, Soft Pretzels, Onion Rings, etc. His dates so far are January 6th & 27th and February 3rd & 17th.*

*On January 20th, we will have Fish Sandwich, French Frys and Cole Slaw and on February 10th we will have Sausage Sandwiches and Macaroni Salad.*

*Also on one of the Fridays we will have BBQ Beef. This means we will have food every Friday.*

**STEAK FRIES**

The steak fry on December 10th was a big success and thanks to all who worked and participated. Next steak fry will be January 14, 2012 from 5 to 7:30 PM and one scheduled for the Valentine's Day Dinner on February 11, 2012. We will also be serving chicken breasts along with baked potato and salad.



The steaks we are getting are from Portage Meats in Rootstown and they were delicious. Thanks to Portage Meats.

WE HAVE WIFI AT THE LODGE – GET THE CODE FROM THE BAR STEWARD.  
FRIEND US ON FACEBOOK AT RAVENNA MOOSE LODGE #1234 AND GET THE LATEST NEWS..

**HAPPY HOUR**

Happy Hours will be Monday through Friday from 5:00 to 7:00 PM.

Price for beer or liquor will be reduced by Fifty Cents.

On January 1st, regular prices for beer and liquor will be raised by twenty five cents.

We are STILL serving Burgers and Homemade French Frys on Thursdays from 5:00 to 8:00 PM. The only Friday we won't be serving will be December 29th between Christmas and New Year's, however, there will be food.



**REVERSE RAFFLE – JANUARY 28th**

100 tickets only \$50.00 each

Includes Dinner of Steak, Baked Potato, Salad Refreshments till 10:00 PM Side Boards, 50/50 etc.

1st Ticket out will win \$100.00 as will the 25th, 50th and 75th ticket

**GRAND PRIZE \$1,500.00**

Tickets available at lodge.

Prizes will be based on number of tickets sold.



**NEW YEAR'S EVE  
PARTY**

The Party will consist of hats and noisemakers, 4 drinks, sauerkraut and pork and various appetizers.

Cost will be \$25.00 in advance and \$30.00 that night.

The entertainment will be Stelvis and the Graceland Band.

If you would care to donate an appetizer, you can sign up at the lodge or just bring it to share.

To all of our volunteers that work coming. Below is just a few of the Nadine Patterson conducted two December. She donated a Candle The winners of those beautiful Wright. Thanks so much, Nadine, Rosemary Wetshtein ran a fund-baked and donated a "jug of cookies" (9 dozen) and sold tickets to our members. The cookies were won by Sandra and Robert Wheatley. Thanks so much Rosemary!!!



so hard to make our new Lodge what it is be- members who help with almost everything. fundraisers for the Lodge during the month of Centerpiece and a Snowman Tree Decoration. decorations were Denna Siciliano and Willie for all you do!!!

raiser for the Lodge in November. Rosemary

On Friday, December 2nd, Rick and Cindy Hubbard donated BBQ Beef sandwiches to raise money for the Lodge, as well as making a nice monetary donation.

On one Saturday in December, Bobby and Vivian Bonilla donated a roaster full of Beef and noodles to sell in the Lodge. THANKS!!!

Thanks to all for the Christmas decorations and decorating the lodge and bath house. These members include the following members: Robert and Sandra Wheatley, Larry and Sandi Speicher, Miriam and Roy Kellison, Marilyn Christy and Mike Horner, Deena Siciliano and Grace Kleinsmith. Likewise, Deena and Grace made and sold tree decorations in the Lodge. Lights were donated by Gay Hayden, John Davis, Bill Collins, Larry and Sandi Speicher and Don Spriggle. Looks beautiful ladies and gents, thanks for everything.

Thanks to Gary Miller and his crew, including Bobby Bonilla, for "building" the Christmas Tree Sales shed. Much appreciated guys. Thanks also to everyone who has donated their time to selling trees...more in the next newsletter about how sales went.

The Children's Halloween Party was wonderful according to our members who attended. Probably the best yet. Thanks to all who donated and to Marilyn Christy, Mike Horner, Grace Kleinsmith and Denna Siciliano for the beautiful decorations in the bathhouse.

Thanks to Paul Siciliano for the gravel in the driveway and parking lot and thanks who donated money for this project. Not so many holes now and more gravel to come from members who are donating to this project. Thanks to Mike and Kim Benich for paying for the DJ on Dec. 10th and Thanks to Mark Horner for donating \$20.00 back to the Lodge.

We had merchants help with Halloween events. The following merchants donated items for the prizes at the adult party:

GIANT EAGLE AND PORTAGE MEATS FROM ROOTSTOWN  
WENDY'S, EAST PARK RESTAURANT, DUNKIN' DONUTS, ALL STAR UNLIMITED OF RAVENNA  
AND EVERGREEN CHINESE RESTAURANT IN KENT. Thanks to Sandra Wheatley for securing these donations.

## NOTICE NOTICE NOTICE NOTICE

BEGINNING WITH THE MARCH/APRIL 2012 MOOSETRACKS NEWSLETTER, WE WILL BE DISTRIBUTING THE NEWSLETTER BY E-MAIL. PLEASE E-MAIL THE LODGE AT [ravenna1234@sbcglobal.net](mailto:ravenna1234@sbcglobal.net) with your email address so that you can receive your newsletter. If you do not have an e-mail address or do not have access to the internet, PLEASE PICK UP A COPY OF THE NEWSLETTER AT THE LODGE!!! You can contact the Lodge at 330 296 9504 to receive your newsletter by mail. I also want to apologize to those of you who previously provided me with your e-mail addresses in the sign up folder at the Lodge. Somehow, during the move last April, the list was misplaced.

So Sorry, Vana

# SLEDDING PARTY



On January 28th, weather permitting, we will have a sledding party. Of course, the lake has to be frozen and you will be

able to sled down the hill onto the lake.

We will have hot dogs, hot chocolate, etc.

Check at the lodge for details and availability and time.

Hopefully, the lake will freeze solid enough for this event.

## UPCOMING EVENTS:

**REVERSE RAFFLE —MARCH 31ST 6-8 PM  
TICKET INCLUDES FOOD, REFRESHMENTS  
AND PRIZES. DOOR PRIZE EVERY 10TH  
DRAWING. 1ST AND EVERY 25TH TICKET  
DRAWN WILL WIN \$50.00 AND GRAND PRIZE  
WILL BE \$1,500.00**

**TICKETS WILL BE AVAILABLE AT THE  
LODGE OR FROM GARY MILLER FOR \$50.00  
EACH.**

**ONLY 200 TO BE SOLD.**

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**ST. PET'S DAY - MARCH 10TH  
BRING YOUR PET IN COSTUME OR  
NOT. PICTURES WILL BE TAKEN WITH  
YOUR PET.**

**ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE APL.**

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## RAVENNA MOOSE LEGION NEWS

Congratulations to Mike Tassone who won a mini laptop at our Legion Meeting This was a Western Reserve Moose Legion #7 fundraiser. Thanks to all who bought tickets.

The Legion of the Moose is going to start and Hundred Square Board for membership dues. Each square will cost \$1.00 and you can sign up as many times as you want. When all 100 squares are sold, one number will be pulled and that winner will get his dues paid for a year. Men's dues are \$45.00 and woman will get \$30.00 for dues and \$15.00 Moose Bucks for a total of \$45.00.

Western Reserve #7 Moose Legion meetings are as follows:  
Director Meetings start at 10:00 AM

Celebrations start at 11:00 AM

Winter Celebration @ Mogadore Moose Jan 8th

Nominating Committee Meeting @ Mid Year Conv. Feb. 4th

Spring Celebration (Election) @ Cuyahoga Falls April 8th

Regalia for your degree is to be worn at all celebrations to attend.

### Meetings and Dinners

1/15/12 @ 1:00 PM Meeting

2/19/12 @ 1:00 PM Meeting

Friday, Feb. 24th dinner Beef Stew over Biscuits

3/11/12 @1:00 PM Meeting

Saturday, March 17th - Corned Beef and Cabbage for

St. Patrick's Day

All Lodge members can join the Ravenna Moose Legion.

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## CHAPTER CHATTER

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I hope everyone had a safe and wonderful holiday with their loved ones including your Moose family :.)

I have forgotten to put our newest members in the past so I would like to welcome all of you and hope you are enjoying your membership.

Welcome to:

Kerry Davis –Transfer In

Laura Taylor – Reinstated

Annette Ludwick– sponsor Cindy Hubbard

Bridgette Miller–sponsor Karen Miller

Lisa Hurd -sponsor Shannon Smith

Melinda Litsinger-sponsor Miriam Campo

Lisa Wilson- sponsor Janet Hayes-Young

Amy Jo Cain-Transfer In

Crystal Vanderpool- sponsor Mary Tassone

Donna Moorehead -sponsor Miriam Campo

Sandra Stanley-sponsor Marilyn Christy

Cathy Coia-sponsor Sharon Oostdyk

Patty Guiler-sponsor Vana Stefansic

Peggy Vicen-Transfer In

Sheryl Howiler-Transfer In

I would like to thank the members who responded to my request for e-mail addresses in the last newsletter. Please, I cannot tell you how important this e-mail address is as a lot of things now will come to you from Mooseheart and Ravenna Moose via e-mail.

We are so trying to get this list together to put our newsletter to you via e-mail to cut the cost of mailing so many out, this will be a cost cutter for us so if you have an e-mail address, please respond as soon as possible to [ravennachapter@yahoo.com](mailto:ravennachapter@yahoo.com)

As some of you know, we did our best with selling cookies again this year via home! I would like to thank everyone who helped with this project and everyone who bought our wonderful cookies and candy!!!

We have a lot of things going on at our Lodge so please check your newsletter and make an effort to come out and enjoy your new Lodge. It is wonderful!!!

Look for us on facebook, under Ravenna Moose Lodge #1234 as we have information about what's going on in your lodge there also.

Happy New Year from the officers of the Women of the Moose.

**MARY TASSONE, RECORDER**

**HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO THOSE BORN  
IN  
JANUARY AND FEBRUARY.**




Bring in Newsletter to get 1  
FREE Drink!




Expires 1/31/12

# January 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
10  HAPPY NEW YEAR	2 6:00 PM JOINT MEETING	3	4	5 7:00 PM WOTM MEETING AT THE RAC BURGERS & FRYS	6 DEIAN'S DEEP FRIED FRIDAY	7
8 POKER 1 TO 4 PM	9 7:00 PM OFFICERS, HOUSE AND LODGE MEETINGS	10	11	12 7:00 PM GOLDEN MOOSE MEETING BURGERS & FRYS	13 5:00 PM TACO MARGA- RITA NIGHT AND KARAOKE	14 5-7:30 PM STEAK FRY OR CHICKEN, BAKED POTATO, SALAD
15 LEGION MTG 1:00 PM	16	17	18	19 7:00 PM WOTM MEETING AT THE RAC BURGERS & FRYS	20 5:00 PM FISH SANDWICH, FRIES & COLE SLAW	21 HIGHER DE- GREE MEETING AT MOCADORE
22 POKER 1 TO 4 PM DISTRICT MEETING CUYAHOGA FALLS	23 7:00 PM OFFICERS, HOUSE AND LODGE MEETINGS	24	25	26 5 TO 8 PM BURGERS AND HOMEMADE FRYS EVERY THURSDAY	27 DEIAN'S DEEP FRIED FRIDAY KARAOKE 7:00 PM	28 SLEDDING PARTY - REVERSE BAFFLE
29 POKER TOUR- NAMENT 1:00 PM	30	31	YOU HAVE TILL APRIL 30TH TO SIGN TWO NEW OR FORMER MEMBERS TO GET A YEAR'S FREE DUES ENROLLMENT FEES WAIVED FOR NEW APPLICANTS			

# February 2012

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
COME TO YOUR MOOSE LODGE AND SEE YOUR OLD FRIENDS AND MAKE NEW ONES			1	5 7:00 PM WOTM MEETING AT THE RAC BURGERS & FRYS	3 DEIAN'S DEEP FRIED FRIDAY	4
5 1-4 PM POKER	6 6:00 PM JOINT MEETING	7	8	9 7:00 PM GOLDEN MOOSE MEETING BURGERS & FRYS	10 SAUSAGE SANDWICHES, MAC SALAD KARAOKE	11 VALENTINE'S PARTY STEAK FRY WITH CHICKEN, BAKED POTATO SALAD
3:00 PM SUPER BOWL PARTY	13 7:00 PM OFFICERS, HOUSE AND LODGE MEETINGS		15	19 7:00 PM WOTM MEETING AT THE RAC BURGERS & FRYS	17 DEIAN'S DEEP FRIED FRIDAY	18
12 1 PM POKER TOURNAMENT	13 7:00 PM OFFICERS, HOUSE AND LODGE MEETINGS	21	22	26 5 TO 8 PM BURGERS AND HOMEMADE FRYS EVERY THURSDAY	24 5-7 PM BEEF STEW & BISCUITS KARAOKE	25
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WELCOME HOME TO  
OUR TROOPS

**SUPER BOWL SUNDAY – FEBRUARY 5TH, 2012 — LODGE WILL PROVIDE DEEP FRIED TURKEY AND HOT DOGS. BRING A DISH TO SHARE. FOOD WILL BE OUT AT 3:00 PM AND GAME ABOUT 6:00 PM. COME OUT AND JOIN THE FUN EVEN IF THE BROWNS WON'T BE IN THE GAME OF COURSE.**

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